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1895.

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Annual Joint Debate.....March 14th, 1896
Final Examination.....May 27-31, 1896

Commencement Exercises.

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Sunday, June 2nd, 11 a. m.
Annual Sermon by Rev. H. W. Featherstun.

Sunday, June 2nd, 8 p. m.
Annual Address of the Young Men's Christian Association
By Rev. F. N. Parker.

Monday, June 3d, 8:30 a. m.
Annual Meeting of the Board of Trustees.

Monday, June 3d, 8:30 p. m.
Exhibition of Preparatory Department and Prize Declamation.

Tuesday, June 4th, 9 a. m.
Meeting in Union Hall.

Tuesday, June 4th, 11 a. m.
Annual Meeting of Alumni Society.
Address by Hon. T. C. W. Ellis of New Orleans, La.

Tuesday, June 5th, 8 p. m.
Joint Oratorical Contest between the Literary Societies: and
Honorary Oration by.....

Wednesday, June 5th, 9 a. m.
Meeting in Franklin Hall.

Wednesday, June 5th, 11 a. m.
Graduating Exercises.

Board of Trustees.

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George H. Peets, M. D.....Fort Adams, Miss
Rev. J. L. P. Shepperd.....Mansfield, La.
Rev. John W. Chambers.....Brookhaven Miss
T. P. Fullilove.....Shreveport, La.
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M. C. Aldrich.....Baton Rouge, La

Faculty.

REV. C. W. CARTER, D. D., PRESIDENT,
(Centenary, La.)
Professor of Mental and Moral Science, and Political Economy.

G. H. WILEY, M. A.
(Wesleyan University, Middleton, Conn.)
Professor of Languages.

THOMAS CARTER, M. A. B.
(Tulane and Vanderbilt University.)
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W. H. CARTER, B. S.
(University of Mississippi.)
Professor of Mathematics.

J. M. SULLIVAN, A. B., M.A.
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Professor of Natural Science.

C. C. MILLER, B. S.
(Centenary.)
Principal of Preparatory Department.

MISS MARY PEARCE.
(Cincinnati College of Music).
Teacher of Vocal Music.

G. H. WILEY, *Treasurer.*

J. M. SULLIVAN, *Secretary of Faculty.*

C. C. WIER, *Agent.*

Alumni.

1827.

Dayid L. Phares,* M D.....Madison, Miss
Samuel W. Brigs*.....

1838.

James Lovey .....Fort Adams, Miss
A. J. Norwood, Planter.....Clinton, La
William Rice Sims,* M. D.....

1839.

Mark Boatner*.....
James M. Edgar†.....
R. W. Richardson, Lawyer.....Monroe, La

1840.

Lewis Carpenter.....Opelousas, La
John Carrigan, Lawyer .....New Orleans, La
John E. King,* Lawyer.....
John C. McVea* Lawyer.....

1841.

R. J. Bowman, Lawyer.....Alexandria, La
A. W. DeLee*.....
Joseph Joor* Teacher.....
William McFall*.....
R. G. Smith, Lawyer.....Columbia, La
R. S. Walker, Lawyer.....Nacodoches, Tex.

1842.

J. G. Talliafero*.....

1843.

Charles Mitchell* .....
C. A. DeFrance, Lawyer.....Lake Providence La

1844.

T. L. Mount.....Montgomery, Ala
J. G. Parhan* Com'n Merchant.....
Edward Picket, Editor.....Natchez, Miss

1845.

R. J. Brown*.....

R. H. Felder.....Brandon, Miss
W. M. Jayne* Preacher.....
N. V. Lane, Planter.....Vicksburg, Miss
A. C. Magruder*.....
S. D. Mills.....
H. A. Moss* Lawyer.....
Joseph L. Mount*.....
W. W. Porter, Lawyer.....Jackson, Miss
Robert H Smith, R. R. Employe.....Edwards, Miss

1846.

W. P. Winans,* Lawyer .....
John Hardgrove,* M. D.....
Everet Lewis, Lawyer.....Gonzales, Texas.
Charles Mason,* Lawyer.....
Thomas Freeland, Planter.....Rodney, Miss.

1847.

Thomas Botters,* Lawyer.....
A. F. Dantzler*.....

1848.

H. W. Drake,* Lawyer.....
Walter G. Kearney, Planter.....Vernon, Miss.
David McFeron*.....
J. T. Bernard, Lawyer.....Jacksonville, Fla.

1849.

Joseph A. Nettles*.....
N. C. Palmer,* M. D.....
Daniel Williams, Planter.....Fort Adams, Miss.

1850.

C. G. Andrews, D. D., Preacher.....Vicksburg, Miss.
T. W. Brown, Preacher .....Woodville, Miss.
W. A. Dickson,* M. D.....
James E. Elam,* Lawyer.....
John T. Heath,* Lawyer .....
J. K. Kearney, Planter..... Canton, Miss.
W. Fergus Kernan, Lawyer.....Clinton, La,
Charles McVey,* Lawyer.....
L. G. Perkins, M, D.....Wilson, La.
G. A. Scott,* Planter.....
Thomas F. Jones,* Lawyer.....
J. Kilbourne*.....

1851.

M. R. Bowman*.....
C. T. Dunn, Lawyer.....Bastrop, La.
W. D. Brigham,* Lawyer .....

John S. Shattuck, Planter.....Sonoma, Cal.
John M. Lane,* M. D.....
G. W. Pearson, Planter.....Texas.
W. H. Scales,* Preacher.....
H. S. Perkins,* Planter.....
John J. Jones*.....

1852.

J. J. Lane, Lawyer .....Austin, Texas.
A. C. Huff,* M. D.....
Chas- Spencer,* Lawyer .....
W. E. Montgomery* Planter.....
D. C. Montgomery, M. D.....Greenville, Miss.
W. L Nugent, Lawyer.....Jackson, Miss
M. T Carter,* Lawyer.....

1853.

Robert C. Chaney,* Planter.....
Geo. H. Clinton,* Preacher.....
Walter S. Compton,* Planter.....
W. W. Dunn,* M. D.....
C. S. G. Doster, Lawyer.....Prattsville, Ala.
Francis M. Guice,*.....
Calvin N. Hines,* Lawyer.....
James F. Houston, Lawyer.....Minden, La.
Thomas C Kernan* .....
J. A. McPherson,* Preacher.....
G. Merrick Miller,* Lawyer.....
Sanford Perry†* M D.....
William C. Pipkin, Lawyer.....Greensburg, Ala.
Robert A. Pugh,* Lawyer.....
Cyrus H Ratliff,* Lawyer.....
James W. Saunders,*.....

1854.

Joseph Berry*.....
F. D. Conrad*.....
Hannibal Carter..... Galveston, Texas.
H. M Carter,* Lawyer.....
Allen Cook, Planter.....Clinton, La.
W. W. Davis,* .....
Jones S. Hamilton†.....Jackson, Miss.
L. N. Dantzler.....Moss Point, Miss.
L. S. Hereford, M. D.....Port Hudson, La.
A. G. Lane, M D.....Billings, Mo.
John McNeeley†* .....
P. H. Swearingen,* Lawyer.....
C. F. Thompson,* Planter.....

W. S. Vaughn,* M. D.....
H. H. Walsh, Lawyer.....New Orleans, La.
H. E. Weathersby,* Lawyer.....

1855.

Matthew J Bowman, Planter.....Tensas, La.
A. P. Brown, M. D.....Fort Worth, Tex.
James G Carney, Planter.....Clinton, La.
Charles W. Carter, D D.....New Orleans, La.
Jesse T. Davis*.....
Edward J. Deloney,* Lawyer.....
Charles C. P DeLee, Lawyer,.....Clinton, La.
Michael A Dickson*.....
Thomas C. W Ellis, Lawyer.....New Orleans, La.
Ernest Gourrier,* Engineer.....
Paul Gourrier,* D. D S.....
T. W. Mieurre*.....
James Moore, M D.....Waterproof, La.
Josiah D. Nettles, Planter.....Canfield, Ark
W. F Norsworthy,.....Jackson, La.
R. L Pugh*.....
George F. Sanderson*.....
Samuel S. Singletary, M D.....Wilson, La.
W. B. Spencer,* Lawyer.....
W. Nolan Tigner*.....
W. W. Wall*.....
John S. Young, Lawyer.....Shreveport, La.

1856.

J. W. Barrow, Lawyer.....Camden, Ark.
J. S Billiu,† Lawyer.....Thibodeaux, La
J. H Brigham,* Lawyer.....
T. P Caillouet, M. D.....Thibodeaux, La.
Thomas Clinton, Lawyer.....St Joseph, La
T. W Compton*.....
K. A Cross, Lawyer.....Baton Rouge, La.
A. F. Drake*.....
R. L. Dunn, M D.....Yazoo City, Miss.
J. M. Fly, Professor.....Centreville, Miss.
J. E. Gibson, M. D.....St. Louis, Mo.
J. C. Griffith,†* Lawyer.....
W. H Knight,†.....New Orleans, La.
G. S. Mayo* Lawyer.....
R J. Perkins,.....New Orleans, La.
C M Pilcher,* Lawyer.....
W. G Richardson*.....
J C Stafford,* Lawyer.....
J. B Tarleton† .....St. Mary, La

1857.

Martin Anding .....
William T. Atkins†* Lawyer.....
A. L. D. Conrad, Lawyer .....East Baton Rouge, La.
M Hughlett†*.....
Peter C. James, Planter.....Yazoo City, Miss
R. W. Y. Newport*.....
R. D. Norsworthy, Preacher.....Meridian, Miss.
S. E. Packwood, Lawyer..... .....Magnolia, Miss.
Louis Pipkin.....New Orleans, La
H. L. Pond.....Ethel, La.
A. Sambola, Lawyer.....New Orleans.

1858.

R. H. Brown†*.....
G. W. Duckner, Lawyer.....Baton Rouge.
H. W. Bullen†*.....
W. O. Burns, Teacher ..... Bossier, La.
R. P. Cates.....Shreveport.
J. J, Davis, Planter .....Fayette, Miss.
A. O. Dumartrait, Planter..... .. Houma, La.
W. W. Farmer,* Lawyer..... .....
C. C. Harris†*..... ....
J. J. Hodges,* Planter..... .....
W. E. Ervine* ....
F. A. Jones, Planter .....Kirk's Ferry, La
H. C. Quin, Teacher..... ..... Texas.
L. Row,* M D .....
W. F. Schwing, Lawyer..... .....New Iberia, La
T. W. Scott*..... .....
B. H. K. Wailes*..... . .. .
J. C. Williams, Planter.....Thibodeaux, La

1859.

D. H. Billiu, M. D..... .....Thibodeaux, La
C. Chamberlain,* Preacher.....
B. Edwards, Lawyer..... .....Covington. La
E. R. Jones, Lawyer.....Fayette, Miss
W. C McGimsey, Lawyer.....New Orleans.
E. H Mounger, Preacher .....Jackson, Miss
J. E. Norwood,* Planter ... .
M. L Robinson,* Planter.....
J. F. Sessions† Lawyer . .....Brookhaven. Miss
A. M. Wailes,* Preacher.....
D. C. Willis* ....

1860.

S. Ambrose†*..... .....
J. W. Ard* .....
S. Bass, Planter..... .Terrel, Miss
M. R. Campbell* ....
J. P. Carter, Lawyer ....Hattiesburg. Miss

T C. Evans, A. M., Teacher.....Hallsville, Texas
J. N. Lipscomb, Planter .....Port Hudson, La
G. S. Pilant*.....
H. N Sherburne, Lawyer .....Baton Rouge, La
A. J. Spencer, M D..... Texas
S. E. Woskom .....Terrell, Texas.
M McD. Whiteman†, M. D.....Thomaston, Tex

1861.

T. C Bradford, Pr. & Tr,.....
H. E. Cockerham*.....
E. S. Drake, Lawyer.....Port Gibson, Miss
J. T Hilliard*.....
William M. Johnson, Lawyer.....Jewett, Texas
S. W. Lipscomb, Planter.....Clinton, La.
T. D. Nugent, Lawyer.....Fort Worth, Tex
S. H Rose*, Preacher.....
F. T. Stuart, Planter.....Fort Adams, Miss

1868.

W. W. Drake,* Preacher.....

1870.

W. Young Dickson*.....
F. D. Brame, Lawyer.....Clinton, La

1873.

E. G. Miller, Lawyer .....Spokane Falls, Wash.

1874.

T. C. Gordon. Teacher.....Dyersburg, Tenn
A. R. Holcombe. M D.....Jackson, La
W. A. White,† Lawyer.....Opelousas, La.

1876.

Charles W. Barrier.....Rayville, La.
Philip H Jones, M. D.....Jackson, La
T. Sambola Jones,† Lawyer .....Baton Rouge, La.
Charles Kilbourne, Lawyer.....Clinton, La.
Whyte G. Owen, M D.....Plaquemine, La

1877.

Tiff Foster,* Preacher.....
Isaac Dickson Wall, Lawyer .....Clinton, La.

1878.

W. H. Packwood†*.....
Jesse B. Shelmire, M D.....Port Hudson, La
James Simrall, Lawyer.....Vicksburg, Miss

1879.

John W. Chambers, Preacher.....Brookhaven, Miss

1881.

Charles S. Duke, Lawyer.....Vidalia, La.
Louis Levy, Merchant.....New Orleans, La
J. Walter Lipscomb, Planter.....E Feliciana Pa, La

1882.

John M. Davies,† Preacher.....Waynesville, La
Stephen J. Davies,† Preacher.....Alexandria, La
James Henry Fore, M. D.....Kansas
R. H. McGimsey, Professor.....Alexandria, La
Ruffin Baker Paine, M. D.....Leesville, La.
David W. Faulk,† Planter.....Logtown, La
Charles C. Miller,† Teacher.....Jackson, La.
H C. Mounger, A B Teacher.....Brookston, Tex.
Wm. P. Overbey,† Teacher.....Bastrop, La

1884.

J. B. Bonney, M. D.....Waterproof, La.
Ernest E. Brown, Lawyer.....Natchez, Miss
J. T. Cason, Jr., Lawyer.....Bastrop, La
J. W. Cooper, M D.....Jackson, Miss
George E. Greene,* Preacher.....
H. D. Kimball,* Preacher.....
A. J. Murff, Lawyer.....Shreveport, La
A. L. Ponder, Lawyer.....Nachitoches, La.

1885.

J. A. Cason†.....New Orleans, La
W, H Faulk,† Druggist.....Monroe, La
G. H Galloway, Preacher.....Rose Hill, Miss
E L. Irwin,† M D.....Clinton, La.
J. C. King, Professor.....Crowley, La
Charles E. McLean,* Preacher.....
W. W Norsworthy,* Clerk.....

1886.

C B Carter, Preacher.....Dallas, Texas
B. M. Drake, Preacher.....Macon, Miss.
J. W. Drake, Lawyer.....Macon, Miss
J. H Ellis,† M. D.....Kentwood, La
Chas H. Hardenbergh,† Merchant.....Texas.
E. L. Viers,† Insurance Agent.....Clinton, La.

1887.

O. K Andrews,* Law Student.....
C. K. Lewis, Bookkeeper.....Ruston, La.
B N. Smith,† Medical Student.....Jackson, La
M. S Standifer, Bookkeeper.....Ruston, La
J M Sullivan, Professor.....Jackson, La

1888.

D. H. Dalton†.....Bastrop, La
W. W. Drake, Preacher.....Crowley, La

1889.

H. W. Van Hook, Preacher.....Jackson, Miss.
R. H. Wynn, Preacher.....Jackson, La

1890.

F. R. Alexander.....Sylvania, Ga
C. S. E. Babington.....Franklinton, La
P. M. Brown, Preacher.....Keachie, La
T. W. Fuller, Editor.....Minden, La
J. S. Johnson.....Forest, Miss
W. H. Lewis, Preacher.....Vicksburg, Miss
W. J. Roberts, Preacher.....Clinton, La
O. H. Simpson, Lawyer.....LaFayette, La
J. M. Sims.....Simsboro, La
C. B. Smith.....Jackson, La.
A. Tomb,‡ Medical Student.....Jackson, La
T. W. Witeman.....Jackson, La
H. M. Wilkinson, Law Student.....Gloster, Miss.

1891.

W. W. Drake.....Waterproof, La
J. A. Pharr.....Berwick, La
G. J. Woodside.....Jackson, La.

1892.

W. M. Drake, Teacher.....San Antonia, Tex
H. N. Pharr, Student.....Vanderbilt Univ.
J. M. Collins.....Indian Vil'ge, La
D A. James, Com. Merchant.....Yazoo City, Miss
J. J O'Beirn.....Jackson, La
R E. Rutlidge, Preacher.....Hazlehurst, Miss
J. L. Scales, Teacher.....Barbreck, La

1893

A. Batson, Teacher.....Pearlington, Miss
J. M Carter, Law Student.....Hattiesburg, Miss
S. M. Collins.....Indian Vil'ge, La
A. H. Gay, Jr., Law Student.....New Orleans
N. E. Joyner, Preacher.....Natchitoches, La.
S. C. Schwing, Theological Student.....Vanderbilt Univ.

1894.

S. A. Beall.† Preacher.....Clinton, La.
A. H. Dumas.....New Orleans, La.

W. M. Hamilton,† ..... Berwick, La.
R. B. Putnam,† ..... Abbeville La.

Total Alumni 302.

The Alumni are requested to inform the President of any mistake in their names, occupation, or residences.

† Bachelor of Science.
‡ Department Graduate.
* Dead.

NOTE:—We call special attention to the many prominent men whose names appear on the above list. Such production is a credit to any College.

Roll of Students.

POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS.

	Year.	
Rev. P. M. Brown	5	Keachie, La.
Rev. W. W. Drake	4	Crowley, La.
Rev. C. C. Miller	3	Jackson, La.
Rev. S. Carter Schwing	2	Jackson, La.

UNDERGRADUATES.

Senior Class.

Alexander, R. D.	Oak Ridge, La.
Decker, E. M.	Jackson, La.
Ladner, A. R.	Lumberton, Miss.
Pharr, E. A.	Berwick, La.
Wall, J. A.	Jackson, La.
Wall, S. D.	Jackson, La.

Junior Class.

Atkinson, C. D.	Goliad, Texas.
Barrow, S. C.	Jackson, La.
Bass, S. N.	Morgan City, La.
Fullilove, S. C.	Shreveport, La.
Holcombe, A. R.	Jackson, La.
Holcombe, W. P.	Jackson, La.
Tomb, J. S.	Jackson, La.
Wadsworth, H. E.	Jackson, La.
Wall, E. E.	Jackson, La.

Sophomore Class.

Aldrich, M. C.....Baton Rouge, La.
Austin, H. M.....Jackson, La.
Davenport, N. F.....Fayette, Miss.
Fullilove, J. P.....Shreveport, La.
Howell, W. C.....Jackson, La.
Parker, G. D.....New Orleans, La.
Smith, V. J.....Jackson, La.
Stratton, W. M .....Jackson, La.
Wall, E. W.....Jackson, La.
Wadsworth, Wm.....Jackson, La.

Freshman Class.

Carter, J. V.....Jackson, La.
Cline, D. D..... " "
Drake, J. P.....Edwards, Miss.
Erwin, J.....Erwinville, La.
Garrett, W. G.....Monroe, La
Garrett, F. B ..... " "
Harvell, H. R.....Harvells Mills, La.
Hudson, R. P.....Eola, La.
Jackson, J. G.....Mansfield, La.
Johnson, M. F.....Lake Arthur, La.
Jones, W. C.....Jackson, La.
Lee, S. B .....Mansfield, La.
McClellan, J. F.....Emma, La.
Munson, E. O.....Jackson, La.
Singleton, F. E..... " "

Special Students.

Bogan, S. S.....Jackson, La.
Kirkland, V .....Brusley Ld'g, La.
Johnson, L. F.....Jackson, La.
Luster, T. A..... " "
Singleton, H. R..... " "
Williams, A. N.....Mer Rouge, La.

Preparatory School.

Allen, C. C.....Gayden, La.
Berwick, J. W.....Bayou Sale, La.
Carter, G. E.....Boonville, Miss.
Chapman, H. W.....New Orleans, La.
Cowan, C. S.....Centreville, La.
Davis, T. B.....Pleasant Hill, La.
Davis, E. G.....Bayou Sara, La.
Dawson, M. L.....Jackson, La.
Dean, G. H.....Fairmount, La.
Decuir, E. S.....Hermitage, La.

Ford, B.....Ouachita City, La.
Ford, W..... " " "
Fridge, O. D.....Gonzales, La.
Gilmore, W. T.....Berwick, La.
Haag, W. H.....New Orleans, La.
Haag, E. F..... " " "
Harbor, E. H.....Jackson, La.
Hawsey, W. W.....Clinton, La.
Hicks, O. B.....Grand Cane, La.
Holcombe, R. G.....Jackson, La.
Jackson, A. W.....Mansfield, La.
Johnson, J. R.....Coushatta, La.
Lipscomb, W. F.....Clinton, La.
Lipscomb, C.....Port Hudson, La.
Magruder, J. O. F.....Baton Rouge, La.
Wilburn, J. D. R.....Whiteville, La.
Montgomery, J. H.....Zornsville, Ala.
Momlimveg, J. R.....Opelousas, La.
Momlimveg, J. L..... " "
Munson, C. L.....Jackson, La.
Murphy, T. J.....Jeannerrette, La.
McKowen, T. C.....Lindsay, La.
Noel, J. S.....Mooringsport, La.
Norgress, J. B.....Patterson, La.
Paquette, F. J.....New Orleans, La.
Paquette, H. E..... " " "
Pearce, J. M.....British Honduras
Peebles, G. F.....Lindsay, La.
Perry, C. C.....Jackson, La.
Roberts, G. A..... " "
Smith, R. W.....Robeline, La.
Smith, A. R.....Covington, La.
Stewart, J. R.....Jackson, La.
Tomb, D..... " "
Tucker, J. A.....St. Patrick, La.
Tucker, C..... " " "
Tucker, J. D.....Bewelcome, Miss.
Webb, G. C.....Watson, La.
Wier, E.....Lafayette, La.
Wilson, R.....Jackson, La.
Wicht, L. E.....Louisville, Ky.

RECAPITULATION.

Post Graduates	4
Seniors	6
Juniors	9
Sophomores	10
Freshmen	15
Specials	6
Preparatory	51
Total	101

Degrees Conferred

At Commencement of 1894.

THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF DIVINITY CONFERRED ON

E. H. Mounger.....Jackson, Miss.

THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS CONFERRED ON

Rev. B. F. Jones.....Woodville, Miss.

Organization.

THE DEPARTMENTS COMPRISING THE COURSE OF STUDY OF this Institution are:

1. The Department of Literature and the Arts.
2. The Department of Science.

Degrees.

1. Bachelor of Arts. 2. Bachelor of Science. 3 Master of Arts.

The degree of A. B., will be conferred only on those who have satisfactorily completed the studies prescribed for the Classical Course.

The degree of B.S., will be conferred only on those who have completed the prescribed Scientific Course.

The degree of Master of Arts may be conferred on any student who after receiving the degree of Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science from this College or from some other institution of equal grade, shall have passed a satisfactory examination on the M. A. Course.

Requisites.

For Admission into College Classes.

1. Candidates for admission into the Freshman Class of the Bachelor of Arts Course must be able to sustain a satisfactory examination on the following or *equivalent* studies: U. S. History, English Grammar and Composition, Arithmetic, Geography, Algegra, (*through* Equations of the second degree), Latin Gramma and Reader, Cæsar, Virgil's Æneid (six books), Cicero's Orations, Greek Grammar, Greek Lessons, Anabasis (first book).

2. Candidates for admission to the Freshman Class of the Bachelor of Science Course will be examined on the same studies required for the Bachelor of Arts Course, except Greek.

3. Applicants for a higher standing will be examined in the same studies, and also in that part of the course gone over by the class to which they may desire admission.

4. All students must bring satisfactory testimonials of good moral character; and those from other colleges certificates of dismission in good standing.

Thorough acquaintance with the studies required for admission is indispensably necessary in order to receive the full benefit of the subsequent College Course. It is found by experience that students imperfectly prepared for the class they enter are embarrassed in their future progress, and seldom repair the want of proper preparatory study.

Preparatory Department.

C. C. MILLER, Professor.

The object of the Preparatory Department is to give thorough instruction in the elementary branches of English, Mathematics, and Classics. Two definite ends are kept constantly in view, namely—a thorough preparation for the higher classes and the laying of a sure foundation for solid, genuine mental growth. The text books used are the latest and most approved character, special attention being given to the selection of such books as will draw out the student and encouaage him in independent investigation. Robinson's Progressive Higher Arithmetic is completed in this Department. Wentworth's Complete Algebra is studied as far as "Quadratic Equations.' The pupil is required to study Harkness' Latin Grammar and Reader, to Read Cæsar and two books in Virgil, before he is admitted into the Freshman Class. He is also required to have accurateness in Goodwin's Greek Grammar, and to have completed White's Greek Exercises. He must also pass a creditable examination in Geography ancient and modern, English Grammar and United States History. A written examination on each branch is required before any student is admitted to a higher class. All students of this department during study hours are under the immediate supervision of the Principal of this department. Good moral habits and genteel deportment are exacted of the young men. Special attention is given to composition and declamation; each student is required to write two compositions and also declaim twice each month. A student having completed this Department is well qualified to enter any college of any grade, and finds himself fitted for any of the ordinary pursuits of life.

Department of Philosophy, Logic, and Political Science.

C. W. CARTER, PROFESSOR.

The studies in this Department are under the direction of the President of the College. The effort here is so to conduct the recitations and lectures that the young men of the Junior and Senior Classes may reap the largest and best results of the entire preceding course, which may all in a sense be regarded as preparatory to a proper appreciation of the truths and doctrines embraced in the vast fields of thought. The object is to give the student such an introduction to these several branches of learning as shall not only afford a good degree of present mental culture, but also implant a stimulus to lifelong study in one or more of them.

Text-books: Jevons Logic, Perry's Political Economy; Mahan's Mental Philosophy; Robinson's Moral Philosophy. The entire course closes with a brief study of International Law and of the Constitution of the United States.

Department of Pure Mathematics.

W. H. CARTER, Professor.

In the instruction in this department, two ends will be constantly kept in view, mental discipline and gain of knowledge. The purpose will be to emphasize and develop correct habits of thought, attention, and exact reasoning, as well as to train the student to precision and clearness in stating his conclusions, with reasons for the same.

At the same time no pains will be spared in presenting clear and accurate notions of the science itself, and the fundamental resolutions of space, quantity, position and motion.

To accomplish these ends, recitations and lectures are employed. The student is constantly encouraged to depend upon himself. Neat, carefully written solutions of original problems are required from time to time. Original problems from our leading Mathematical journals are often submitted to the classes. Lectures on the history and development of Mathematics will be given during the year. These are some of the subjects: Some eminent Mathematicians, Living Mathematicians, The origin of Arithmetic, Euclid and his geometry, Non-Euclidian geometry, and others. By these means the student is brought to see the beauty and importance of the subject.

To enter the Freshman Class the candidate must be proficient in Arithmetic including the Metric system of weights and measures, and must pass a satisfactory examination on Algebra *through quadratics*.

Freshman Year—5 hours per week. First term—Algebra (Wentworth's Higher,) Chapters XIII.—XXV inclusive. Second term—Geometry (Wentworth) Plane Geometry.

Sophomore Year—5 hours per week. First term—Solid Geometry, Plane Trigonometry (Wentworth.) Second term—Surveying (with field work) Spherical Trigonometry.

Junior Year—3 hours per week. First term—Analytic Geometry (Wentworth). Second term—Analytic Geometry (completed).

Senior Year—5 hours per week. First term—Differential and Integral Calculus, (Hardy.) Second term—Higher Algebra.

Department of English and History.

THOS. CARTER, Acting Professor.

The course in English is arranged with reference to two ends, the perfection of the pupil in writing and speaking their own tongue, and the forming of character by acquaintance with the greatest authors and their works.

The first is contemplated in the study of the history and constitution of language, including enough Anglo Saxon to form a basis for watching its development, as well as in the study of formal rhetoric and practical composition. This end is also kept in view in the study of Literature. It is thought best in literary study to adopt text books in the history of Literature which will bring the student as near the mind and soul of great authors as may be; and with the same end in view it seems better to spend long periods in the study of some one great author than to distribute the same time among extracts from a half dozen.

In the first term of the Freshman year the class will make a final study of Grammar, using Whitney's Essentials of English as the basis for this work. The second term will be devoted to Rhetoric. Genwing's Rhetoric will be used, together with his Hand-book of Rhetorical Analysis. At the same time the pupils will pursue a course of reading outside of the class under the direction of the Professor of English. The first term of the Sophomore year will be given to the completion of Rhetoric. The class will at the same time make a cursory study of the History of English Literature in Stopford Brooke's Hand-Book, together with lectures.

In the second term the class will take up Anglo Saxon and the History of the English Language, Cook's First Lesson in Old English and Lounsbury's English Language are our text-books. Throughout the year the parallel readings will be from the great English prose writers. The whole of the Junior year will be devoted to the study of Shakespeare and Elizabethan Literature. Besides parallel readings in other dramatists of the age the class will read in and out of the lecture room most of Shakespeare's plays. The text-book will be besides the plays themselves Moulton's Shakespeare as a Dramatic Artist and Saintsbury's Elizabethan Literature. Other works will be used for reference. The first term of the Senior year will be

devoted to a study of the Book of Job in Genwing's translation, followed in the first and second terms by a study of Tennyson and Carlyle and Middle English. An optional course in Chaucer will be afforded to the Junor and Senior classes. The course in history will include a general view of the history of the world and a more particular study of English and American history. Its objeet will be while acquainting the pupil with the facts of history to bring him as far as possible in contact with the greatest minds of the world through their recorded deeds and characters as, the literature course accomplishes the same end through their writing. Myer's General History and Montgomery's Leading Facts of English History will be among the text-books.

Department of Natural Science.

J. M. SULLIVAN, Professor.

The studies embraced in this department are Chemistry, Physics, Geology, and Astronomy.

CHEMISTRY.

This subject is begun by the Sophomore Class, one hour a week being required through the year. It is destined to give students a thorough knowledge of the fundamental principles of general chemistry, and this is done as far as possible before they begin the work of the Junior year. The text book used will be William's Introduction to Chemical Science.

The Junior Class will devote five hours a week through the entire year to the study of General Chemistry, giving attention during the first term to the non-metals. The work of the second term will embrace Metals, Organic Chemistry and Metallurgy. A course of lectures and experiments will be carried through the year. The text books used will be Roscoe's Elements of Chemistry, and Coit's Chemical Arithmetic.

The Senior Class will study Qualitative Analysis and Organic Chemistry during the second term. To each student will be assigned a desk, supplied with reagents and apparatus, and he will be expected to spend two hours a week in analyzing substances under the direct supervision of the teacher. Accuracy, neatness, and economy will be insisted upon. It is considered best not to confine the student to any one text book, but the work of this class will be based upon Fresenius' Manual, Simon's Manual, and Richters Organic Chemistry. Senior Chemistry is optional for students taking the Classical Course. A laboratory fee of five dollars will be charged.

PHYSICS.

The Junior Class devotes three hours a week to the study of Physics. The work of the first term embraces Mechanics, Hydrostatics, Pneumatics, and Sound: that of the second term includes Heat and Light.

The Senior Class study Magnetism and Electricity during the first term, two hours weekly. The text book in use is Ganot's Physics (Atkinson's). Experiments are performed before the class with a view of impressing facts upon the mind of the student.

GEOLOGY.

This subject is pursued by the Senior Class three hours each

week during the first four months. Dana's text book is used. The Museum contains valuable specimens, and the surrounding country furnishes excellent facilities for the study of local geology.

ASTRONOMY.

The Senior Class will study General Astronomy (Young) three hours a week from the first of January through the session. Along with this will be given an elementary course in Practical Astronomy, and the class is taught to use the sextant in determining data for various problems. A small telescope is made use of in the general study of the heavens.

Department of Languages.

G. H. Wiley, Professor.

It is the aim of this Department so to instruct the student that he may attain such proficiency as will enable him to translate with accuracy and tolerable facility, passages from the standard Classic Greek and Latin authors. By a diligent study of the Grammars of these languages, with a daily application of the knowledge therein acquired of the paradigms and rules of syntax in the daily exercise of parsing, and with translating selections from the prescribed authors, the student may become so well grounded in the principles and construction of these languages, as to find both pleasure and profit in the further prosecution of these studies after he leaves College. Any student with ordinary capacity, earnest purpose, and studious habits can become a fair Greek and Latin scholar, by pursuing the three years' course here prescribed for this Department. Nothing more is here claimed than to lay the ground-work for riper scholarship. The Universities, with their more ample means and greater facilities, are open for those who have tastes and aptitudes for larger linguistic attainments and for studies in the kindred branches.

Five daily recitations per week.

Classical Course.—Freshman Year.

First Term.—Xenophon's Anabasis; Greek Grammar, Goodwin's; Greek Composition, White's Virgil; Latin Grammar; Harkness, and Allen & Greenough.

Second Term.—Livy, Latin Grammar, Xenophon's Anabasis.

Sophomore Class.

First Term.—Xenophon's Memorabilia, Horace.

Second Term.—Iliad, Cicero de Officiis.

Junior Year,

First Term—Cicero de Oratore, Demosthenes on the Crown.

Second Term.—Tacitus, Greek Tragedies.

PRESCRIBED COURSE, A.B.

Candidates for degrees must complete the full course prescribed either for the degree A.B or B.S. Any student not a candidate for a degree may pursue a select course of not less than three studies

FIRST TERM

First Year. PREPARATORY.	Second Year. PREPARATORY.	FRESHMAN.	SOPHOMORE.	JUNIOR.	SENIOR.
Orthography, English Grammar, Arithmetic, Geography, General History, Reading, Latin Grammar, Penmanship, Composition, Elocution.	U. S. History, Orthography, Mathematics, English Grammar, Geography, Latin, Greek, Composition, Elocution.	English, Mathematics, Greek, Latin, English Bible.	English, Mathematics, Greek, Latin, Chemistry, English Bible,	Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics, Latin, English, Evidences of Christianity, English Bible.	Mathematics, Moral Philosophy, Logic, Geology, Mineralogy, Physics, Practi'l Chemistry, English Bible.
SECOND TERM					
Same as First Term.	English, Mathematics, Geography, Latin, Greek, Composition, Elocution.	Same as First Term.	English, Mathematics, Greek, Latin, Chemistry, English Bible.	Latin, Greek, Physics, Chemistry, English, Mathematics, English Bible.	Ment'l Philosophy, Pract'l Chemistry, Political Economy, Internation'l Law, Constituti'n'l Law, Astronomy, English Bible.

The B S course is identical with the A B. course, except it has no Greek, and French or German is substituted for last year and a half of Latin, and it requires analytical work in Chemistry during the year.

Post-Graduate Course for Master of Arts.

The degree of Master of Arts may be conferred on Bachelors of Arts or Bachelors of Science, of at least one year's standing, on completing any *one* of the following groups of studies and passing satisfactory examination upon the same.

I.

(1) ENGLISH—Sweet's Anglo-Saxon Reader; Bright's Anglo-Saxon Gospels; Saintsbury's *Elizabethan Literature*; Dowden's *Mind and Art of Shakespeare*.

(2) HISTORY—Ancient History, (Thalheimer); Green's History of the English People; Guizot's History of Civilization; United States History

(3) FRENCH—Whitney's French Grammar; and *one* play of Moliere, Racine and Corneille, *Les Deux Sourds* (Jules Moineaux;) Saintsbury's French Literature.

II.

(1) MATHEMATICS—Differential and Integral Calculus, and Mechanics.

(2) LATIN—Juvenal; Platus or Terrence; Cruttwell's History of Roman Literature.

(3) GREEK—Euripides Medea; Clouds of Aristophanes, Study of Greek Literature (Jevons); Grote's History of Greece.

III.

(1) CHEMISTRY—Bernthsen's Organic Chemistry; Remsen's Theoretical Chemistry. Practical and Analytical Chemistry, (Clowes).

(2) PHYSICS—Light, Heat and Electricity; "The Conservation of Energy" (Balfour Stewart); Loomis' "Treaties on Meteorology."

(3) NATURAL HISTORY—"Elements of Geology" (Le Conte), Meneralogy and Lithology, Dana; Zoology.

IV.

(1) PHILOSOPHY—Metaphysics of Sir William Hamilton; Moral Philosophy (Lotze's Outlines); Logic; Evidences of Christianity; Butler's Analogy.

(2) POLITICAL ECONOMY—Mill's.

(3) ASTRONOMY—Doolittle's Practical Astronomy, with use of American Ephameris; History of Astronomy (Clark).

By consent of the Faculty, an equivalent may be submitted for any *one* subject in either of these four courses.

The candidate must pursue the course selected for at least two years before receiving the degree.

General Information.

VOCAL MUSIC.

The Course of Instruction in Vocal Music begins with the elementary principles. Special attention will be given to Sight Reading, Voice Building, Chorus Drill, and Harmony, with the use of Normal Music Charts (First and Second Series), Text-Books and Exercises. Work in this course is left to the option of the student, the charges being extra.

OF REPORTS.

Bi-monthly reports are transmitted to the parent or guardian of each student, showing his scholarship and deportment.

EXPENSES.

Admission Fee, (in advance) $30 00
Contingent Fee, (in advance) 5 00
Meals in Stewart's Hall, (per scolastic month) 9 00

Meals in Stewart's Hall, including room, bed, washing, light, fuel, the student to furnish one quilt and his own toilet articles (per scholastic month) $13 50

Board and lodging can be obtained in private families, rang- from $15 00 to $20 00 per month.

Dormitory rooms may be had, if preferred, free of charge. It will cost but little to furnish a Dormitory room if two students room together and bring part of furnishings, such as quilts, pillows sheets, etc., from home. This expense is incurred only once on entering College, and as the furniture may be disposed of when the student leaves, it is merely nominal.

The necessary expenses of one year here need not be more than $150 00, while $175 00 to $200 00 is sufficiently liberal for any one.

LIBRARY.

The College Library contains about 3,000 well selected volumes of both ancient and modern literature. The importance of such a library to the reading student during his Collegiate

Course is too obvious to need remark. The library is accessible to all students.

APPARATUS AND CABINET.

The Collge possesses a valuable set of Philosphical, Astronomical and Chemical Apparatus, and also a well selected Mineralogical and Geological Cabinet. In the Chemical and Philosophical Department special attention will be given to training students to conduct experiments for themselves.

One great object of the instructor should be to make the scolar practical as well as theoretical. Much is left for the teacher to supply which is not found in the text-books. There is mush valuble information which can only be obtained by oral instruction, by experiment and practice. With this view, all recitations and lectures will be rather practical than theoretical, and the Theodolite, Compass. Telescope, etc., will be employed by the Professor in actual observations and surveys, thus properly enforcing and illlustrating Mathematical and Philosophical principles by application.

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION.

There is an annual meeting of the Alumni Association on Tuesday before the first Wednesday in June, on which occasion an oration is delivered and a poem read by members previously chosen.

A business meeting is held during Commencement week, at which the orator and the poet for the following Commencement are selected.

LITERARY SOCIETIES.

There are two regular Literary Societies connected with the institution. These are of great utility to a young man acquiring a liberal education—improving him in the art of public speaking, and making him in some degree familiar with the proceedings of deliberative bodies, and in cultivating systematic business habits. Each Society has its own handsomely furnished hall, and a library of about 1,600 volumes. There is a joint exhibition of the two Societies in the middle of the session, and an anniversary exhibition on Tuesday next preceding Commencement day.

In addition to the advantages above mentioned, each Society secures a column in some popular newspaper of the State, and appoints its "editor and associate" to edit it, and any of the members are at liberty to write. In these columns appear productions from the Preparatory to the Senior Class. This practice has been rigidly observed for several years, and with most gratifying results. Each Society is represented by two of its

Senior Class in a joint Prize Debate on Wednesday evening of Commencement.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

This organization is now closing the ninth year of its prosperous career. The officers are as follows:

S. D. WALL.....President.
V. KIRKLAND.....Vice-President.
GEORGE PARKER.....Corresponding Secretary.
M. F. JOHNSON.....Recording Secretary.
M. F. JOHNSON.....Treasurer.
J. F. MCCLELLAN.....Librarian.

In connection with a well-equipped Devotional Hall the Association has recently established a Library and Reading Room, which, through the efforts and liberality of appreciative friends, is constantly receiving valuable additions to its steadily increasing attractions.

ACCESSIBILITY.

The Mississippi Valley Railroad and the Jackson Railroad render the College easily accessible from all parts of the country. Telephonic and, hence, telegraphic connections, put Jackson, La., the seat of the College, in communication with the outside world. Telegrams should be sent to Jackson via Ethel Station.

PROHIBITION.

The sale and purchase of liquors and wines, except for medical and mechanical uses, are prohibited, by act of Legislature, within five miles of the College.

HONOR ROLL.

The name of all students who make a grade of ninety or more (100 being the maximum), on written examination on any subject, will be placed on an honor roll to be published in the Catalogue. The names of the subjects, as well as the exact grades for each, well be given. It was impossible to give this honor roll this year. It will be given, however, in the next issue of the Catalogue.

Historical Mention, Etc.

The College was established by the State of Louisiana in 1825, and was taken under the patronage of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in 1845, and has been constantly growing in importance and usefulness. It is located in the village of Jackson, about five miles from Ethel Station, on the Mississippi Valley Railroad, four miles from McManus, a flag station on the same road, and twelve miles from Bayou Sara, on the Mississippi River. The location is remarkable for its beautiful groves of pine, magnolia, oak and beech, its unrivaled healthfulness, and social advantages.

The buildings consist of a steward's hall, two brick dormitories containing each twenty-four rooms, and a magnificent center building. This latter contains a chapel for public exhibitions large enough to seat over two thousand persons, two large society halls, a chapel for prayer, eight commodious recitation rooms, one library room, cabinet room, separate rooms for chemical and philosophical apparatus, and office, and rooms for other purposes.

The government is mild and parental, but consistent and firm. If a student is found incorrigibly vicious or idle, he is dismissed. The rewards consist of merit marks, and public honors on the day of Commencement. So that by every incentive, by appeals to the nobler principles of the nature, by affectionate entreaty and friendly counsel, by the hope of distinction and fear of disgrace, the Faculty endeavors to maintain order and the purest morality.

Extracts from the Statutes.

CHAPTER VI.—*Religious Exercises*—The exercises of every day shall be opened and closed with prayer by the President, or some other member of the Faculty, when all the students shall attend.

2. The student shall attend Divine worship in the College Chapel, or elsewhere, every Sabbath.

3. The due observance of the Sabbath is earnestly recommended, and practices inconsistent with the reverence due to the day are expressly prohibited.

CHAPTER VII.—*Of Punishment of Misdemeanor and Offences*—

1. The Punishments in the College shall be admonition, private and public; dismission; suspension for a limited time; suspension for an indifinite time, and expulsion.

4. If any student shall neglect his studies or interrupt the studies of another, or disturb, or impede any officer in his lawful employment, or be guilty of profane cursing or swearing, or of intoxication, or of striking or insulting by words or gesture, a fellow student, or of keeping company with persons of known immorality, of playing at cards, dice, or other games of chance, or of any other thing grossly immoral, of which the Faculty shall be the Judge, he shall at their discretion receive any punishment.

CHAPTER XII.—*Of Commencement Sessions, Examinations and Vacations*—There shall be two Annual Examinations; one in the middle of the session; the other commencing on Monday preceding the last Wednesday in May. The Commencement day shall be the first Wednesday in June.

2. The regular Academic year shall begin on the first Wednesday in September of each year.

3. The only regular holidays will be on Thanksgiving day, Christmas day and New Year's day. The regular vacation shall be from Commencement day to the first Wednesday of September of each year.

CHAPTER XIII.—*Of Expenditures.*—Every student whose parent or guardian does not reside in Jackson, or immediate vicinity, is recommended to have an Academical guardian nominated by himself, with the consent of his parent or legal guardian whose duty it shall be to take charge of his expenditures, and

with whom shall be deposited such a sum of money as his parent may think proper. In the article of pocket money the strictest economy is most earnestly recommended and requested.

ATHLETICS.

Special interest has been manifested by students in this Department of college work during this year. A commodious and well equipped gymnasium has been fitted up by the students. It contains all the apparatus needed for thorough physical training.

The Base Ball Club is in a flourishing condition. The faculty have appropriated a plat of ground on the campus to its use. It is hoped that the ground will be put into good condition by next season. The Tennis Club has two courts both on the campus and is in a first class condition. The Foot Ball Club is a popular department of Athletics.

Prizes and Medals.

SENIOR MEDAL.

Edward L. Fagg of Virginia offers a medal for the best oration delivered by a member of the Graduating Class.

McGEHEE MEDAL.

The Hon. G. T. McGehee offers a Gold Medal for the best oration in the College Classes below the Senior. The award will be made in reference to both Composition and Declamation.

SOPHOMORE SCHOLARSHIP MEDAL.

Mr. S. C. Schwing offers a Gold Medal for the highest average grade in all Departments during the Sophomore year.

DECLAMATION MEDAL.

A medal is offered by Mrs. J. N. Pharr to the best declaimer of the Preparatory Department.

PENMANSHIP PRIZE.

A prize is offered in the Preparatory Department for improvement in penmanship.

Moral and Social Surroundings.

We do not hesitate to say that all the surroundings, natural and social, are conducive to the desired development of young men. The natural scenery surrounding Jackson is of a semi-tropical cast, and the afternoon walks of the students are through every varying beauties of such a nature as to make them think of the higher things of life. The people of Jackson are for the most part in sympathy with the college and its interest. Social advantages are given students which are refining and elevating in character. No balls or theatres are here to distract the students. No saloons or gambling houses, drinking or gambling, draws him away from his business. Yet he is not without the very best and highest social trainings.

Centenary is "surrounded by as cultured and refined a society as ever drank from the Pierian Springs of Classic Greece," and the students accorded all the advantages growing out of associciations with such society.

Nor is the spiritual side of the student neglected. The churches of all denominations take the keenest interest in the welfare of the students. The Y. M. C. A. is in the very best condition. It holds two meeting each week in the college building. Bible classes and thorough training are among the advantages offered by the Association.

One of the Presiding Eiders of the Mississippi Conference said publicly;—"I believe a boy stands a better chance of being brought to Christ at Centenary than he does at home." The natural, moral, and social surroundings of this college are not surpassed anywhere.

Some Reasons

Why You Should Send Your Boy to Centenary.

1. Because it is a Church school. If you are a Methodist, because it is your Church school.

2. Because it is situated in a healthy locality. There is no place more healty than Jackson.

3. Because its curriculum embraces everything necessary to a classical or scientific education without anything superfluous.

4. Because its surroundings, natural, social, and moral, are conducive to the very highest and noblest development of your boy.

5. Because it is in a quiet, retired place where one can study without any balls, dances, theatres, saloons, or gambling houses to distract him.

6. Because it is cheap, the expenses being less here than in almost any other Southern institution of equal grade.

7. Because we have all the conditions and necessities for sending your boy back to you at the end of his college course, a well rounded Christian gentleman, strong in will-powder, strong in his ideas of morals, strong in mental capabilities, and with a well developed healthy body. What more could you want?